SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 25

In Memory of Mary Cruz

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas joins the citizens of San Antonio in mourning the loss of Mary Cruz, who died on November 24, 2006, at the age of 81; and

WHEREAS, Mary Cruz lived a life of dignity and integrity and gave unselfishly to others; she was always there to listen, and her valued counsel will not be forgotten by those who knew her; and

WHEREAS, Known for her warmth and generosity, she often took the time to wipe away a tear or to offer a hug if needed; and

WHEREAS, Mary Cruz was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother who always put her family's needs before her own; she will continue to live in the hearts and minds of those she left behind, and her memory will be cherished forever by her family and many friends; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas,

80th Legislature, hereby extend sincere condolences to the
bereaved family and friends of Mary Cruz on her tragic passing;

and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for her family as an expression of profound sympathy from the

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Texas Senate, and that when the Senate adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Mary Cruz.

Van de Putte Lucio Averitt Harris Seliger Brimer Hegar Shapiro Carona HinojosaShapleigh Deuell Jackson Uresti Duncan Janek Watson Ellis Nelson Wentworth Eltife Nichols West Estes Ogden Whitmire Fraser Patrick Williams Whitmire Zaffirini Gallegos

Dewhurst, President of the Senate

President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on January 23, 2007, by a rising vote.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate